REMARKS

The above Claim listing is submitted in response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 9, 2006. In claim 7, line 3 "2694" is underlined. Applicants thank the USPTO for bringing this omission to their attention.

No issue of new matter arises.

Fees

No fees are believed to be necessitated by the instant response. However, should this be in error, authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account no. 18-1982 for any underpayment, or to credit any overpayments.

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